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## **1995 SENATE BILL 214**

May 18, 1995 – Introduced by Senators Darling, Fitzgerald, Panzer, Burke and Schultz, cosponsored by Representatives Urban, Krusick, Hahn, Silbaugh and Kelso. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

- 1 AN ACT *to create* 134.62 of the statutes; **relating to:** the sale and lease of paging devices.
  - Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill requires a person who manufacturers paging devices to affix to each paging device a unique identification number. The bill also requires that a person engaged in the retail sale or lease of a paging device in this state or to a person in this state maintain a permanent record of the identification number of the paging device, cross-referenced with the name and address of the person buying or leasing the paging device, and file a copy of the record with the department of agriculture, trade and consumer protection (DATCP). In addition, the bill provides that a law enforcement officer may have access to the records filed with DATCP. The bill also prohibits any person from removing, altering, obliterating or making it impossible to read an identification number on a paging device.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

## The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

- **Section 1.** 134.62 of the statutes is created to read:
- 4 134.62 Sale and lease of paging devices. (1) In this section:
- 5 (a) "Law enforcement officer" has the meaning given in s. 165.85 (2) (c).
  - (b) "Paging device" means any portable electronic device used to contact a person carrying it when the device receives a radio or other signal.

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(2) A person manufacturing a paging device for sale or lease in this state or to
a person in this state shall affix to each paging device a unique identification number.
(3) A person offering for retail sale or lease a paging device in this state or to
a person in this state shall:
(a) Maintain a permanent record of the identification number affixed to the
paging device by the manufacturer under sub. (2), cross-referenced with the name
and address of the person buying or leasing the paging device.
(b) File, within 30 days after the date of the sale or lease of a paging device, a
copy of the record under par. (a) with the department of agriculture, trade and
consumer protection.
(4) The department of agriculture, trade and consumer protection shall make
available to any law enforcement officer acting in an official capacity the records filed
with the department under sub. (3) (b).
(5) No person may remove, alter, obliterate or intentionally make it impossible
to read an identification number affixed to a paging device.
Section 2. Effective date.

(1) This act takes effect on the first day of the 6th month beginning after

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